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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
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In re application of:

Margolskee et al.

Serial No.: 09/834,792

Group Art Unit: 1647

Filed: April 13, 2001

Examiner: Turner, Sharon L

For: **TRP8, A TRANSIENT RECEPTOR POTENTIAL CHANNEL
EXPRESSED IN TASTE RECEPTOR CELLS**

New York, NY 10036
March 1, 2004

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 C.F.R. 1.136(a))

Sir:

Request is hereby made for the following indicated extension of time
for filing of the accompanying papers:

☐ One month.

Fee in the amount of ___ \$110.00 ___ \$55.00 is enclosed.

☒ Two months.

Fee in the amount of ___ \$420.00 X \$210.00 is enclosed.

☐ Three months.

Fee in the amount of ___ \$950.00 ___ \$475.00 is enclosed.

☐ Four months.

Fee in the amount of ___ \$1,480.00 ___ \$740.00 is enclosed.

☐ Five months.

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Respectfully submitted,

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